

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re the application of: Robert P. St. Pierre

Application number: 09/696,274

Filed: October 25, 2000

For: PROTOCOL FOR A REMOTE CONTROL

DEVICE TO ENABLE CONTROL OF NETWORK

ATTACHED DEVICE

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Examiner: David Q. Nguyen

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is being filed responsive to the Office Action of April 10, 2003.

In view of the comments set forth below, the Applicants urge reconsideration of the outstanding rejections and respectfully request re-examination of the application.

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